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PART VI

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS

FOREST DEPARTMENT

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 2nd October 1936.

The attention of the public is invited to the Notification published on page 1624, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 8th October 1936, regarding the resale of fuel coupe of Valase Forest to be held on 28th October 1936.

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 8th October 1936.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned kind and quantity of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions by the District Forest Officer, Kolar District :—

Sl. No.	Name of Depot	Date of sale	Kind of Timber	Quantity in	Remarks
1	Gazildinne Plantation Lodge.	5th November 1936	Teak scantlings and sizes.	C.ft. 375	More or less.

The sale will be held at 2 P.M.

N.B.—If the sale is not concluded on the day notified, it will be continued and concluded on the next day.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the Officer conducting the sale but defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber not exceeding Rs. 200 in value, this deposit will not be insisted upon, provided that the full purchase money is paid in cash on the spot.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the Officer conducting the s[ale] he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a w[ritten] signed by the principal. [ale to state whether] [ritten authority duly]

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the Officer co[nducting the sale can] reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the [purchasers.]

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder [shall sign his name] opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided [for the purpose. Such] signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lo[t and of having accepted the] terms of the sale as herein specified. The sale is subject to the confirm[ation of the Chief Conservator of] Forests in Mysore, if the amount exceeds Rs. 1,000.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 [per cent of the amount in cash to the] officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receip[t vouching for the payment of the one-] tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should ar[y purchaser fail to comply with this rule,] the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall be forfeited to Governmen[t and the officer conducting the sale shall be] at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter [who shall be required to make good any loss,] but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. T[he amount due by such defaulter on account] of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue [demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest] Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposi[t forfeited to Government shall not be taken] into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value, w[here no bidders are forthcomin]g, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may ap[pear to him to be reasonable and] proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any. [after deducting the price so fix]ed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issu[ed to the defaulter, intimating the] price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood and [the amount still due from him which] be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsucc[essful bidders shall be returned in] as-sedia[nce] the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders be[ing lodged in the Savings Bank] current deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purch[ased shall be paid for within 30 days a]fter the date of notice of [confirmation of the sale whichever is later.] of sale or within 15 days of above Rs. 1,000 in value, the purcha[ser shall be permitted to pay up the balance] chaser by instalments of not less than Rs. 1,000, provided the fu[ll value is paid not later than the 15th May 1937. The money] shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the dates fixed above, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, including the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of tim[ber until] 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after 15th February 1937. Timber not removed after purchase will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, for the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

13. Interest will be charged on all belated payments at 6¼ per cent per annum from the date of their falling due up to the date of payment.

H. V RANGASWAMIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 2nd October 1936.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification, regarding the resale of Mathi logs 2—C.ft. 13-8-7, found unclaimed in S. No. 5 of Government Land of Laxmipura Village, Huliyurdurga Hobli, Kunigal Taluk, published on page 1624, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated the 8th October 1936.

Abstract Notification dated 3rd October 1936.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification of the following produces of Tumkur District, published in page 1625, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 8th October 1936.

1. Collection and removal of Honge leaves and seeds.
2. Collection and removal of Seethaphal and Nux Vomica.
3. Collection and removal of Bats' manure.

B. MADHAVA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 21st September 1936.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification, dated 21st September 1936, calling for tenders up to 12 NOON on 19th October 1936, for the clearing and burning of demarcation lines of the District, published on pages 1557-1560, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st October 1936.

Notification dated 8th October 1936.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, or any other Officer authorised by the District Forest Officer, at 2 P.M., on the dates noted against each under the following conditions :—

Name of Depot	Date of sale	Teak Logs and B. Ps.	Honne logs and B. Ps.	Honne scantlings	Mathi logs and B. Ps.	Bite (Small logs)	Jungle-wood logs and B.Ps.	Remarks
		C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	
Chamarajanagar ..	29th October 1936	5,000	1,500	..	1,000	1,000	100	More or Less
Gundlupet ..	9th November 1936	1,500	750	..	..	100	..	
Manchegowdanahalli	11th November 1936.	10,000	1,500	..	..	..	500	
Hunsur ..	18th November 1936.	4,500	1,000	250	250	..	..	
Periyapatna ..	19th November 1936.	4,000	1,500	250	400	..	..	

N. B.—If the sale is not concluded on the day notified, it will be continued and concluded no the next day.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale but defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers not exceeding Rs. 200 in value, this initial deposit of Rs. 200 need not be insisted upon, provided that the full purchase money is paid in cash on the spot.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. Subject to the minima prices fixed in each case by the Chief Conservator of Forests (which will not be divulged), the highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers. Should any lot be disputed, it shall again be put up and sold.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds

Rs. 1,000 in each case are subject to the confirmation of the Chief Conservator, and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer, subject to the following conditions:—

(1) That the rate realised in a sale does not fall short of the average of the three previous sales by more than 5 per cent or is more than that realised at the previous sales.

(2) That the power of confirming sales up to the limit of Rs. 1,000 shall be exercised only in the case of timber.

(3) That the confirmation of sales is ordered by the District Forest Officers only after the payment of the full purchase money.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser will be furnished with a memo, showing the total value and the purchase made by him. Thereupon, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of the successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within 30 days after the date of sale or within 15 days after the date of the notice of confirmation of the sale, whichever is later. In case of purchasers of above Rs. 1,000 in value, the purchaser shall be permitted to pay up the balance in instalments of not less than Rs. 1,000 provided the full value is paid not later than the 15th May 1937. The money shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the dates fixed above, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*. Interest at 6¼ per cent per annum will be levied on all arrears of amounts which are permitted to be paid after the due date.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, excluding the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale and no timber shall be removed from the depot, unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the dates fixed in clause 7 *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, on the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

SALE OF FUEL TREES.

Notification dated 9th October 1936.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove fuel trees in the undermentioned coupes in the following State Forests of Mysore District for the year 1936-37, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, or any other Officer deputed by him on the dates and places and subject to the conditions mentioned below :—

The sale will commence at 2 P.M., precisely on each day and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, in case of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below and of the Chief Conservator of Forests in other cases.

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Name of Felling Series	Coupes number and year	Area in acres	Place of Sale	Date of Sale	Officer conducting the sale	Distance from nearest Railway Station
Mandya Range	Dhangur ..	Kanchanahallidoddi Eraikatte .. Ambaligudda ..	1936-37	60 58 92	Traveller's Bungalow, Malvalli.	4th November 1936.	Range Forest Officer, Mandya.	40 miles from Mandya Railway Station

N.B.—It should be clearly noted that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of fuel from the Coupes and that the Forest Department will not undertake any responsibility in the matter of opening of roads, etc.

2. Each bidder shall, before he is permitted to bid, be required to furnish a solvency certificate as under the Tangadi Sale Rules and deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale ; the deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall immediately, after the close of the sale, pay 25 per cent of the bid amount less the deposit already paid, together with the local cess at one anna per rupee, education cess at 6 pies per rupee and railway cess at 3 pies per rupee on the whole sale amount, failing which the right will be resold or worked departmentally at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or Departmental working which will be recoverable from him as arrears of Land Revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the Department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. All fuel yielding trees except those reserved by the Department will be sold for a lumpsum amount for the whole coupe.

5. Power is reserved to the District Forest Officer or such other Officer conducting the sale as may be deputed by the District Forest Officer, to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale, the person whose bid is accepted shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) or 25 per cent of the sale amount whichever is less for each coupe as security towards the due fulfilment of this contract. He shall also pay within that period the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement on a stamped paper of proper value, accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which, the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked departmentally at his risk as noted in clause (2) *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself :—

(*a*) That he shall fell and remove the fuel trees purchased by him before the 15th June 1937.

(*b*) That he shall make the fellings of the trees in a methodical manner from one side of the coupe coppicing the stumps of the trees felled, leaving the standard trees marked on the area intact along with all the trees less than one foot in girths trees yielding Minor Forest Produce and all trees, shrubs and thorny growth, that are coming up within a radius of six feet from sandal trees and saplings.

(*c*) That each consignment of fuel shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*d*) That if any tree, shrub or growth reserved by the Department as noted in clause (*b*) *supra* is cut, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*e*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of the fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*f*) That no operation shall take place in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*g*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the coupe and over the fuel paid for but left unremoved in any of the coupes after the 30th June 1937.

(*i*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of trees felled and the out-turn of fuel resulting therefrom and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*j*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and the latter may, after issuing to the contractor, a notice of the cancellation of the contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right of working it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 24th September 1936.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification of date relating to the auction sale of timber in the Saw Mill and Timber Depots, Shimoga, on the 28th and 29th October 1936, published on pages 1564-1565, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st October 1936.

Notification dated 4th October 1936.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, up to 2 P.M. on 31st October 1936, for the repairs to the Forests Roads mentioned below in the Division during the year 1936-37.

An approximate estimate of the quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed before the end of December 1936.

2. The detailed estimates and the conditions may be seen at the District Forest Office, Shimoga, during office hours.

3. Tenders should be submitted in the form given below separately for each work, showing the rates at which different items will be executed.

4. Each tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 in Government Currency Notes and shall be superscribed "Tender for the repairs to Agumbe Emakalkere—Nelur Road in Agumbe Range," failing which, it will be rejected.

5. Final acceptance or otherwise of the tender will rest with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any other tender without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within eight days of the date of receipt of the acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer will be required to execute an agreement on a stamped paper of proper value, failing which the tender will be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited.

7. The deposits of successful tenderers will be retained as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the tender, while those of others will be returned.

8. The tender must quote specific rate for each item of work and no approximate quotations will be accepted work will be executed at a certain per centage over or below the estimate will not be accepted.

9. Payment for the works carried out will be made only on presentation of a bill duly passed by the Range Officer concerned and no advances will be granted.

10. If the work is not completed within the time specified or if the work done is unsatisfactory, separate arrangements will be made departmentally to get through the work in time, holding the contractor responsible for the loss that the Department may sustain thereby, besides forfeiting in whole or in part, the amount of security furnished by him at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, whose decision is final.

11. The security deposit will be returned after the period of contract is over.

Abstract of works to be done in each mile of the Road.

Mile	Scraping		Earthwork		Irish drain		Rough stone boulders or laterite work		Repairs to culverts		Jungle clearing per mile
	S.yds.	Rate per S.yd.	C.yds.	Rate per C.yd.	C.yds.	Rate per C.yd.	C.yds.	Rate per C.yd.	No.	Rate per C.yd.	Rate
1st	1,540	..	376½	..	10½	..	..	..	..	..	....
2nd	330	..	281	..	15½	..	53⅓	..	3	..	
3rd	220	..	306	..	44½	..	21	..	1		
4th	..	..	585	..	5⅓	..	6⅔	..	1	..	
5th	440	..	443	..	6	..	..	..	2	..	
6th	880	..	432½	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	
7th	880	..	651⅔	..	5⅓	..	..	..	2	..	
8th	3,080	..	66⅔	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
9th	220	..	208	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
10th	..	..	458	..	..	..	21¼	..	..	..	
11th	..	..	426	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
12th	..	..	546	..	12½	..	..	..	..	..	
Total	7,590	..	4,780⅓	..	99	..	102¼	..	14	..	

P. KRISHNASWAMI RAO,
District Forest Officer.

OFFICE OF THE CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, SHIMOGA.

Notification dated 6th October 1936.

VISIT TO JOG FALLS.

Visitors to Jog (Gerusoppa) Falls are informed that it is arranged to cater for the Vegetarian and Non-Vegetarian public at the following rates from the 15th October 1936 to the end of the season :—

Non-Vegetarian meals per head

	Rs.	a.	p.
First Class (whole day)	5	0	0
Second Class do	3	8	0
Servants do	0	10	0

Vegetarian meals per head

		Rs.	a.	p.
1.	Special meals (whole day) ..	1	12	0
2.	First Class do ..	1	4	0
3.	Second Class do ..	0	14	0
4.	Servants do ..	0	8	0

Charges per head for families and parties consisting of more than two persons will be as under :—

Non-Vegetarian

	Rs.	a.	p.
First Class	4	0	0
Second Class	3	0	0
Servants	0	8	0

Vegetarian

		Rs.	a.	p.
1.	Special meals with two tiffins with coffee or tea (whole day).	1	8	0
2.	First Class (whole day) ..	1	0	0
3.	Second Class do ..	0	12	0
4.	Servants, two meals ..	0	6	0

N.B.—Children above six years and up to ten years will be charged at half rates.

Besides these rates per diem, separate rates for the several items have been fixed and a list is put up on the Notice Board at the Bungalow.

Tin provisions can be had at the premises.

The Travellers' Bungalow at Jog is provided with furniture, crockery and cutlery. No additional fee is charged for them as it is included in the Bungalow rent of Rs. 2 per head or Rs. 3 per family per day for a room.

Visitors passing the night at the Bungalow will pay the full fees.

Petromax and oil lamps are available and can be had at the Bungalow at four and two annas respectively per light per night.

Applications for accommodation should reach the undersigned at least a week in advance to avoid disappointment as the accommodation is limited.

Rooms will be reserved on payment of a fee equal to half the probable fee in advance. This amount will be adjusted towards the total fee for the period at the time of final payment. In case the rooms are not occupied after reservation, the fees paid in advance will not only be forfeited but the party will become liable to pay a further sum if there was an application for accommodation during the period of reservation.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
Conservator of Forests.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated the 23rd September 1936.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification of date relating to the auction sale of timber in Sagar Depot on 19th October 1936, published on pages 1565-1566, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st October 1936.

Abstract Notification dated 4th October 1936.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification of date calling for tenders for the purchase of timber in Kumsi Depot, (*vide* details below) published on page 1628, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 8th October 1936. The last date for receiving tenders is 19th October 1936.

Matti	62	1,013 C.ft.
Nerlu	7	137 „
Nandi	33	658 „
Honne	23	453 „
Bilwara	1	21 „
Total ..	126	2,282 C.ft.

H.-S. RANGACHAR,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 5th October 1936.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notifications, regarding the sale of several forest produce in this Division, published on pages 1629-1632, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 8th October 1936.

	Date of sale.
1. Sale of right of collecting and removing Bamboos in the several State Forests of this Division during 1936-37	26th October 1936.
2. Sale of the right of collecting Chinnomon leaves in Koppa and Mudigere Ranges during 1936-38.	
Mudigere	26th October 1936.
Koppa	28th October 1936.
3. Sale of the right of collecting and removing canes in Mudigere and Koppa Taluks for 1936-38.	
Mudigere	26th October 1936.
Koppa	28th October 1936.
4. Sale of the right of collecting wood oil in the Ghat Forests of Koppa Taluk for 1936-38.	
Koppa	28th October 1936

Notification dated 6th October 1936.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting the Tupra leaves on all Government unoccupied lands, State and District Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations of the undermentioned taluks up to the end of June 1939, will be sold talukwar by the respective Range Forest Officers as per particulars given below :—

No.	Name of Taluk	Date of sale	Place of sale	Remarks
1	Chikmagalur ..	29th October 1936 ..	Sandal Koti, Chikmagalur.	The lease is for a period of three years from 1st July 1936. Excludes produce classed as "Village Amarayi" as well as those in Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya and other occupied lands.
2	Kadur ..	31st do ..	Forest Depot, Kadur.	
3	Mudgere ..	31st do ..	Range Office, Mudgere.	
4	Koppa ..	29th do ..	Travellers' Bungalow, Koppa.	

2. The auction sale will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, it wil be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the Officer holding the sale a sum of Rs. 5 which must be deposited in the form of currency notes. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale. Silver will not be accepted as earnest money.

5. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the Chief Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer, as the case may be, who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the District Treasury or in any Taluk treasury, the entire sale amount, including the deposit already made, together with Local Cess at one anna per rupee, Railway Cess at six pies per rupee and Education Cess at six pies per rupee, respectively. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by such resale, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

N.B.—If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as revenue demand.

7. The lessee shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank Rs. 25 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less as a security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease for the remaining period which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of lease.

8. If the sale is not confirmed, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

9. The successful bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper, within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, binding himself to observe the conditions mentioned hereunder and also tender the Security Deposit referred to in clause 8 *supra*. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any of the trees under one year of age on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the act of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests. Printed passes prescribed by the District Forest Officer shall be issued to cartmen under the signature of the lessee for the export of produce.

(*e*) The lessee shall keep and render accounts every month to the District Forest Officer of the produce collected and removed by him or his agents during the month. His accounts will be liable for the inspection of the Chief Conservator of Forests or the DistrictForest Officer or by any other Officer deputed by either of them.

(*f*) The lessee, his agents or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in forests in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*g*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of Forests all produce collected and stored under the terms of the lease before the close of the lease period, *viz.*, 30th June 1939.

(*h*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*i*) The Village Amarayi produce is not included in the contract.

9. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 200.

N.B.—This sale does not debar the issue of individual license by the Department to petty local purchasers.

Note:—Interest at 6¼ per cent per annum will be levied on all arrears of amounts which are permitted to be paid after the due date.

Notification dated 7th October 1936.

The undermentioned quantities of Timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following depot by the District Forest Officer, Kadur Division, at 2 P.M. on 31st October 1936 :—

Name of depot	Teak poles	Mathi	Jalari	Jambe	Date and place of sale
	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	
Kadur Depot	122	289	171	237	Kadur, 31st October 1936.

N.B.—More or less.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale but defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof will be accepted if tendered on the spot, and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted upon.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 500 in each case is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator, and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him, as a revenue demand, under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value, where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood; and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of the successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within 30 days after the date of sale or within 15 days after the date of notice of confirmation of the sale, whichever is later. In case of purchases of above Rs. 1,000 in value, the purchaser shall be permitted to pay up the balance in instalments of not less than Rs. 1,000, provided the full value is paid not later than the 15th June 1937. The money shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the dates fixed above, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed, for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale excluding the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid. Interest at 6¼% per annum will be levied on all arrears of amounts permitted to be paid after the due dates.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the dates fixed in clause 7 *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, on the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser, so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

M. A. MUTHANNA,
District Forest Officer.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 9th October 1936.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders for the purchase of the exclusive right of collecting and removing the Minor Forset Produce from all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantation up to end of June 1938 in the Molakalmuru, Challakere and Harihar units of this District, will be received by the District Forest Officer, Chitaldrug, upto 2 P.M. on 3rd November 1936.

N.B.—Tenders may be given unitwar.

Remarks.—Excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Koyamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private inviduals as well as Village "Amarayi" which is sold separately by the Amildar in the Revenue Department.

Village Amarayi consists of the following kinds of produce found in the assessed waste, gomal, kharab lands, gavatana and other lands set apart for communal purposes:—

(1) Hunse, (2) Mavu, (3) Seege, (4) Cocoanut, (5) Hippe, (6) Nerlu, (7) Halsu, (8) Jauli, (9) Honge seeds and leaves, and (10) Byala.

N.B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

Description of Produce.

Tamarind fruit	Kan cardamom	Chilldabija
Seege kayi	Masani buds	Chagachebija
Gum	Halamaddi	Guggala
Honey	Hulgal seeds	Nim seeds
Bees-wax	Cinnamon seeds	Cashewnut
Kapilarang	Vetehuli	Pappalichakke
Gerubija or marking nut	Bende fibre	Hippe seeds
Wood apple	Wild olive	Mango fruits
Lichens	Silk cotton	Kalluhuvu
Maradipoppu or charpoppu	Kirichal (State Forest)	Makliberu (State Forest)
Horns	Pith	Sogadeberu do
Hides	Linseed	Kakkekayi
Tarikayi	Bolar bark	Somechekke
Kanchagache	Pot stone	Lebi fruit
Gallnut	Rampatre or kanpatre	Inglara
Anatvaladakai	Jungle saffron	Nili seeds
Guricharlue	Patanga	Nux vomica
Wild castor seeds	Bones	Honge leaves and seeds
Kan pepper	Maddi	Tupra leaves

2. Each tender should be sent to the District Forest Officer, Chitaldrug District, in a sealed cover, superscribed "Tender for the Purchase of Minor Forest Produce", accommaniedby a deposit of Rs. 100 (one hundred only) in currency notes which will be returned in the case of unsuccessful tenderers. Each tenderer should produce a solvency certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which he resides.

3. Tenders from defaulters on account of previous leases will not be accepted.

4. The highest tenderer shall ordinarily be the purchaser.

5. The District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the right to accept or reject the highest or any other tender without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The names of accepted tenderers will be put up on the notice board of the District Forest Officer, Chitaldrug, and this must be accepted as sufficient intimation of the fact.

7. Within three days of the acceptance of the tender, the purchaser shall pay into the Government Treasury, one quarter of the total sale amount including the deposit already made together with the local, railway and other cesses on the entire lease amount at the rates prevailing in the District. In default the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resales will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government right but will have no claims to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses will be recoverable as an arrear of Land Revenue.

8. Within three days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer shall execute an agreement with one or more sureities to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer in a stamped paper of proper value procured at his own cost, and also furnish security deposit of Rs. 500 or one quarter of the sale amount whichever is less, for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit.

In default either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit, in the three-fourths of the original sale amount. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation or any other law in force for the time being.

Note.—(i) The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the Amildar and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

(ii) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

9. The balance of three-fourths of sale amount will be paid in three equal instalments as follows:

First khist	on or before	1st February 1937.
Second	do	1st May 1937.
Third	do	1st February 1938.

In default to pay the instalments on due dates, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government lses the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law in force for the time being. Interest at 6¼ per cent per annum will be charged on all arrears of lease amount permitted to be paid after the due date but before the resales.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee, his maistries or servants shall not cut or injure any tree in any way on the plea of collecting the produce.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests. If any sub-lessees are approved, such sub-lessees shall not further sub-let it without previous sanction.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee or sub-lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(*e*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the produce collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the lease, and the Officers of the Revenue and the Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector, respectively.

(*f*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer an account of the number of cart-loads of the produce collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the produce under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District

Forest Officer, impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer, on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer though the Range Forest Officer and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—Forest Forms 84 and 85 shall be used.

(*h*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally. They will be liable also under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract.

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall remove out of the limits of the taluk before the 30th June 1938, all the produce collected and stored under the terms of the lease.

(*j*) Neither the lessee nor sub-lessee nor his employees shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*k*) No collection of the minor forest produce will be permitted in the State Forests during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to end of April of each year.

(*l*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of inamdars.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee has no right to the produce or trees on occupied lands and the village Amarai as detailed in para 1 above.

(*n*) No damage will be caused to the trees while collecting the minor forest produce; any such damage will be assessed by the Range Forest Officer, which will be approved by the District Forest Officer. The District Forest Officer's decision in the assessment of the damages will be final. The assessed damages will be recovered from the security deposit of the lessee.

(*o*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold responsible himself for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

10. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, or the Chief Conservator of Forests as the case may be. In the case of mere forfeiture of the deposit amount, in part, or in full, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and if not, the lease will be cancelled and resold at the risk of the original purchaser, who will be liable for any loss which will become recoverable as an arrear of land revenue but not participate in any profits.

D. N. MOORTY RAO,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

BANGALORE DIVISION.

Notification dated 8th October 1936.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division, up to 2 P.M., on 2nd November 1936, for restoring Bannaghalli Chickere, Register No. 173 of Chennapatna Taluk. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by the end of June 1937.

2. The plans, detailed estimate and conditions may be seen at the Executive Engineer's Office at Bangalore between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

3. Tender should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Executive Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rupees two hundred in cash or Government Promissory Notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed " Tender for Restoring Bannaghalli Chickere, Register No. 173 of Chennapatna Taluk " in default of which, tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Executive Engineer, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond; in default of which, his tender will be considered cancelled, and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the Notice Board in the Executive Engineer's Office in due course. No enquiry regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.

9. Rates once tendered will not be enhanced on any account.